



Bulletin #1/2019

Update of Jamaican Taxation Registration Number (TRN) and Tax Compliance Information for participation in GOJ tender opportunities via the Electronic Procurement System:

All suppliers that have a Jamaican based Taxation Registration Number (TRN) are being asked to validate their TRN and Tax Compliance information (TCC/TCL) on the Government of Jamaica Electronic Government Procurement (GOJEP) System.

The purpose of a valid TRN in GOJEP is to:

- I. Verify supplier's details;
- II. Allow for retrieval of Tax Compliance information for Supplier and;
- III. Facilitate the integration of the e-Tendering (GOJEP) System with Supplier's information in the Government's National Contract Commission (NCC) registration system using the suppliers TRN as shared identifier between both systems.

To update your Organization's TRN and Tax Compliance data in the e-Tendering system, Supplier Admin Users must execute the following steps:

- I. Log in to the System (www.gojep.gov.jm);
- II. Select the Supplier management link (under the Supplier Administration section on the left);
- III. Select the Edit organisation link/button;
- IV. For the Taxation Registration Number (TRN) prompt – Enter your organization's nine (9) digit TRN (no space or dashes). See TRN rules below;
- V. For the Taxation Compliance Reference (TCC/TCL) # prompt – Enter the last TCC# issued to your Organization by the Tax Administration Jamaica (TAJ), if one was issued. By completing this task:
 - a. Your Organization's Taxation Compliance Expiration Date information will be retrieved from the TAJ Taxation system and displayed on your Organization's record in GOJEP;
 - b. Tax eligibility information for your Organization will print on the Tender Opening Reports generated by the system;
 - c. The System will send you an email reminder, fourteen (14) days prior to the expiration of your Organization's tax compliance status. Upon the expiration and renewal of your Tax Compliance, please ensure same is updated in the system by following the above steps.
- VI. Select the Save button once you have entered the above information.

TRN Format Rules:

Organization Type	Format	Rules
1 Limited Liability Incorporated	000009999	TRN must begin with Zero and must be nine digits. No '-' or space shall be entered
2 Partnership	000009999	TRN must begin with Zero and must be nine digits. No '-' or space shall be entered
3 Sole Trader or Trading As Entity	100009999/0001	TRN must begin with the digit 1 and must be nine digits. A sub 4 digit number must be entered, example 0001 or 0002 or 0003 etc. No '-' or space shall be entered
4 Individual Consultant	100009999	TRN must begin with the digit 1 and must be nine digits. No sub 4 digit number must be entered, No '-' or space shall be entered

For additional information, please call the Ministry of Finance, Public Procurement Customer Care Help Desk numbers: 876-932-5220/932-5251/932-5244/932-5251 or by sending an email to: papucustomer@mf.gov.jm.

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National Environment & Planning Agency

Specific Procurement Notice for Conducting an Ecological Assessment of the Negril Great Morass

Institution: National Environment & Planning Agency
Country: Jamaica
Project: Integrating Water, Land and Ecosystems Management in Caribbean Small Island Developing States (IWEco) National Sub-Project 1.4 Biodiversity Mainstreaming in Coastal landscapes within the Negril Environmental Protection Area of Jamaica Environment & Natural Disaster
Sector:
Grant No.: UNEP/PCA/Ecosystems/2018/MCEB-CEP/00332GFL-11208-14AC0003-SB-006157.01
Procurement Method: National Competitive Bidding
Bid Validity Period: 90 days after bid closing date
Deadline: 06, September 2019

The Government of Jamaica, through the United Nations Environment Programmes, has received financing from the Global Environment Facility (GEF) and it intends to apply part of the proceeds to implement the National Sub-Project 1.4 Biodiversity Mainstreaming in Coastal landscapes within the Negril Environmental Protection Area of Jamaica under regional project Integrating Water, Land and Ecosystems Management in Caribbean Small Island Developing States, for the engagement of a **Consulting Firm** to conduct an Ecological assessment of the Negril Great Morass within the Negril Environmental Protection Area.

The National Environment & Planning Agency (NEPA), executing agency for the project, now invites eligible consulting firms ("Consultants") to indicate their interest in undertaking the **Ecological Assessment of the Negril Great Morass**. The purpose of this consultancy is to undertake an ecological assessment to define the terrestrial and riverine habitats and their associate species within the boundaries of the Negril Environmental Protection Area (EPA) and develop a restoration plan. The consultancy will also include the identification and analysis of habitat changes within the Negril Great Morass; Habitat/ecosystem rehabilitation investments for conservation of internationally significant, endemic and migratory species; and the preparation of plans/strategies/programmes to manage and restore the resources of the Negril EPA/Negril Great Morass.

To participate in this tender/procurement opportunity, suppliers must first be registered on the Government of Jamaica Electronic Procurement System via the platform at www.gojep.gov.jm.

To register, please select the "Register as a supplier" link from the home page.

For assistance regarding training, download of tender documents and upload of tender proposals, please contact the Ministry of Finance, Procurement and Asset Policy Unit Customer Care Desk at 876-932-5220/932-5253 or email papucustomer@mf.gov.jm.

Bid Submission Date: Proposal must be submitted via physical tender box at 11 Caledonia Avenue, Kingston 5 no later than **3:00 p.m. or 15:00 hours Jamaica time on Friday, September 06, 2019**. The selection method is Quality and Cost Based Selection.

Late Proposals will be automatically rejected.

A valid Tax Compliance Letter (TCL)/Tax Compliance Certificate (TCC) from the Tax Administration Jamaica (TAJ) must be submitted with the Proposal.

Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours **08:30 – 16:30 hours**.

Attn: National Environment and Planning Procurement Officer
11 Caledonia Avenue, Kingston 5.
St. Andrew, Jamaica.
Tel: 1-876-754-7540. Fax: 1-876-754-7596.
Email: procurement@nepa.gov.jm



INVITATION TO BID

PROCURING ENTITY: BANK OF JAMAICA
SCOPE: Consultancy Services – Assessment of Electrical Systems
PRE-PROPOSAL CONFERENCE & SITE VISIT: Thursday, 08 August 2019 at 10:30 a.m.
CONTACT INFORMATION: Head of Procurement, Procurement Administration Section
ADDRESS OF ENTITY: Nethersole Place, Kingston
TELEPHONE NO(S): 876-922-0750-9
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: bojtender@boj.org.jm
COST OF TENDER DOCUMENT: No cost. Download document from the Bank's website at www.boj.org.jm
DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: Tuesday, 20 August 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

Please note that notwithstanding the information provided in this Advertisement, the final instructions to bidders is the RFP and any notification that may be posted on the Bank of Jamaica's website. Bidders are therefore required to monitor the website for the most current information.

MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND THE PUBLIC SERVICE

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST PROJECT DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST

COUNTRY: JAMAICA
PROJECT NAME: STRATEGIC PUBLIC SECTOR TRANSFORMATION PROJECT
IBRD LOAN NO.: 8406JM
COMPONENT: STRENGTHENING THE PUBLIC INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (PIMS)
SELECTION METHOD: INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANT SELECTION

The Government of Jamaica (GOJ) has received loan financing from the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development (IBRD) towards the cost of the Strategic Public Sector Transformation Project (SPSTP), and intends to apply part of the proceeds for consulting services. The Project Development Objective (PDO) is to strengthen public resource management and support selected public sector institutions in facilitating a more enabling environment for private sector growth.

The objective of the consultancy is to develop a full proposal document for the establishment of an appropriate Fumigation Facility at the Export Complex in Kingston. The consultancy will have a duration of three (3) months.

The Ministry of Finance and the Public Service now invites eligible individuals to indicate their interest in providing the Services. Interested Consultants should provide information demonstrating that they have the required qualifications and relevant experience to perform the Services. The shortlisting criteria are:

- Master's in Project Planning & Management/Agricultural Economics or Development Economics/Development Studies or related subject.
- A.Sc or Diploma in General Agriculture preferably with an emphasis in Post-Harvesting Techniques
- 5 -10 years' experience in the development of detailed project proposals as required by multilateral development institutions.

The attention of interested Consultants is drawn to Section III, paragraphs, 3.14, 3.16, and 3.17 of the World Bank's "Procurement Regulations for IPF Borrowers" July 2016, revised November 2017 ("Procurement Regulations"), setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

A Consultant will be selected in accordance with the Individual Consultant Selection Method set out in the Procurement Regulations. Further information can be obtained at the address below during office hours **Mondays to Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Fridays 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

Expressions of interest (including Curricula Vitae) must be delivered in a written form to the address below (in person, mail, fax or email) by **August 23, 2019**. The detailed Terms of Reference (TOR) for the assignment can be found at the following website: Ministry of Finance and the Public Service, www.mof.gov.jm (documents > procurement opportunities).

Interested consultants may submit Expressions of Interest/ CV by **August 23, 2019 to:**

Ministry of Finance and the Public Service
Strategic Public Sector Transformation Project
Attn: The Procurement Specialist (Lead)
30 National Heroes Circle
Kingston 4, Jamaica, WI
Tel: 1-876-932-5474
Fax: 1-876-932-5977
Email: spstp@mof.gov.jm

JAMAICA SOCIAL INVESTMENT FUND ISO 14001:2015 CERTIFIED



"Investing for Community Development"

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Grant No. GA50/JAM

The Government of Jamaica has received funding from the Caribbean Development Bank (CDB) in the amount of US\$7,521,000 towards the cost of the Basic Needs Trust Fund Ninth Cycle (BNTF 9). The Jamaica Social Investment Fund, as the implementing agency, intends to apply part of the proceeds of this grant to cover payments under contracts for **Consultant for Institutional Strengthening in Gender Mainstreaming (Phase 2)**.

Scope: The scope includes review of the existing National Policy for Gender Equality with a view to indicate whether targets have been met and facilitate the revision of said policy in response to emerging trends.

Selection Method: Consultant's Qualification Selection Method

Contact Information: Procurement Manager
 Procurement Department
Address of Entity: Ground Floor, The Dorchester
 11 Oxford Road (Entrance on Norwood Avenue)
 Kingston 5

Telephone No(s): 876-968-4545

Email Address: contracting@jsif.org

Submission Date and Time: Tuesday, August 27, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.

Additional Information: Please visit <http://www.jsif.org> for detailed advertisement and forms.

Expressions of Interest (EOIs) should be submitted to the address above or emailed to contracting@jsif.org at or before **5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 27, 2019**.

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